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SUBJECT: PREPCON II PROCEDURES

REF: A. STATE 231000 B. STATE 231097 C. TOKYO 14006

1. ON OCT. 3 FONOFF (URABE, RESOURCES DIV.) PROVIDED FOLLOWING INFORMATION, SUPPLEMENTING REF. C, RE GOJ VIEWS ON PROCEDURAL QUESTIONS FOR PRODUCER/CONSUMER DIALOG.

A) CHAIRMANSHIP: GOJ HAS NO OBJECTION TO ROTATING CHAIRMANSHIP AS PROPOSED PARA. 2 REF. B IF THIS IS WISH OF MAJORITY.

B) OBSERVERS: 1) COUNTRIES--GOJ AGREED WITH FRENCH CONSENSUS PAPER THAT COUNTRIES PARTICIPATING IN EACH COMMISSION REPRESENT THEIR GROUP AND SHOULD PRESENT THE VIEWS OF NON-MEMBER COUNTRIES IN THEIR GROUP TO THE COMMISSION AND REPORT BACK TO THEM ON ITS PROGRESS. GOJ THUS OPPOSES, FOR SAKE OF EFFICIENCY, THE GRANTING OF OBSERVER STATUS, WITH OR WITHOUT RIGHT TO SPEAK, TO ANY GOVERNMENT.)2 INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS--GOJ SUPPORTS FRENCH CONSENSUS PAPER VIEW THAT ONLY 10'S WITH A DIRECT INTEREST SHOULD
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OBSERVERS GOJ PRESENTLY SUPPORTS IEA FOR ENERGY COMMISSION
AND IMF AND WORLD BANK FOR FINANCE COMMISSION BUT HAS
NO SPECIFIC IDEAS RE OBSERVERS FOR PRIMARY COMMODITIES
AND DEVELOPMENT COMMISSIONS.

C) SITE(S) FOR COMMISSION MEETINGS: FOJ PREPARED TO
BE FLEXIBLE ON THIS QUESTION AND WOULD NOT OBJECT TO
ANY PLANCE THAT HAS ADEQUATE FACILITIES. IT BELEIVES
COMPOSITION OF INDIVIDUAL FACILITIES. IT BELEIVES
COMPOSITION OF INDIVIDUAL COMMISSIONS AND NATIONALITIES
OF (CO-) CHAIRMAN MAY INFLUENCE DECISIONS. GOJ NONETHELESS
WILL URGE THAT DIE CONSIDERATION BE GIVEN TO COST AND
EFFICIENT USE OF SECRETARIAT SERVICES.

2. URAGE SAID JAPANESE EMBASSY WASHINGTON SOON WILL
REQUEST USG SUPPORT FOR GOJ MEMBERSHIP IN ALL FOUR
COMMISSIONS AND ADDED THAT IF OTHER MAJOR COUNTRIES
SEEK CO-CHAIRMANSHIPS, GOJ WILL CAMPAIGN FOR ONE.

3. JAPANESE DEL. TO PREPCON II WILL INCLDUE--FONOFF:
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(CHIEF) AND NAKAJIMA, RESOURCES DIV., MITI; MORIYAMA,,
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DIR., I TL. RESOURCES DIV., RESOURCES AND ENERGY AGENCY,
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